## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application No.: Cont. of 08/697,421	) Examiner: Unassigned
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR GENERATING SECURE ENDORSED TRANSACTIONS	) ) )
Commissioner for Patents  Washington, DC 20231	
Sir:	

## **Preliminary Amendment**

Please amend this application as follows prior to examination.

**Amendments** to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.